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WHISH

I'VE BEEN LOOKING FOR YOU MYSELF, BUT I DIDN'T THINK YOU WOULD COME LOOKING FOR ME FIRST.

I THOUGHT YOU WOULD.
THAT MUST BE ABOUT YOUR COMPANION, RIGHT?

SO IT DOES HAVE SOMETHING TO DO WITH YOU GUYS?
I WILL TELL YOU WHERE YOUR COMPANION IS.
IN RETURN, I HAVE A CONDITION OF MY OWN.
HAH! YOU'VE GOT SOME NERVE PUTTING A CONDITION ON THIS.

I WILL RESPECTFULLY DECLINE.
NOW THAT I KNOW THAT YOU KNOW, I CAN JUST FORCE YOU TO TELL ME RIGHT NOW WITHOUT NEEDING TO ACCEPT YOUR CONDITION.
TSSSS

IS IT THAT SIMPLE? EVEN IF THINGS GO THE WAY YOU SAY, IT COULD TAKE TIME.
YOUR COMPANION WAS ALIVE THE LAST TIME THAT I SAW HIM, BUT KEEP IN MIND THAT THERE'S NO TELLING WHAT MAY HAPPEN IF YOU DRAG THIS OUT ANY LONGER.

I DON'T LIKE IT BUT IT'S JUST AS SHE SAID.
EVEN IF I MANAGE TO SUBDUE HER, IT WON'T EASY GETTING THE INFORMATION FROM HER.

DO I HAVE TO GO ALONG WITH WHAT SHE SAID?

ARE YOU FINALLY READY TO HEAR MY CONDITION?
I'LL AT LEAST LET YOU TELL ME.
HELP ME MEET... LORD MUZAKA.
WHAT?

I THINK THAT YOU COULD PROBABLY REACH HIM,

SO IF YOU HELP ME MEET HIM, I WILL TELL YOU WHERE YOUR COMPANION IS.

I SUGGEST YOU DON'T PRETEND YOU COULDN'T MAKE IT HAPPEN.

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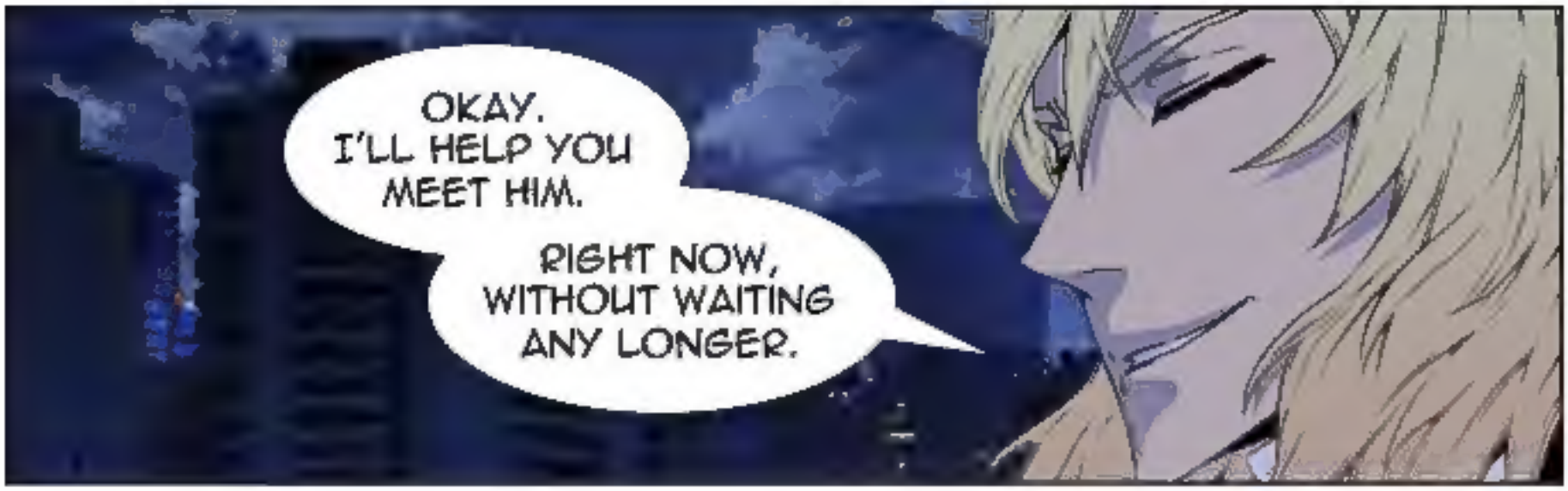
OKAY.
I'LL HELP YOU MEET HIM.
RIGHT NOW, WITHOUT WAITING ANY LONGER.

WHAT?
YOU'RE GOING TO HELP ME MEET HIM RIGHT NOW?

FRANKENSTEIN, ARE YOU SELLING ME OUT?
YOU DIDN'T EVEN HESITATE, DID YOU?
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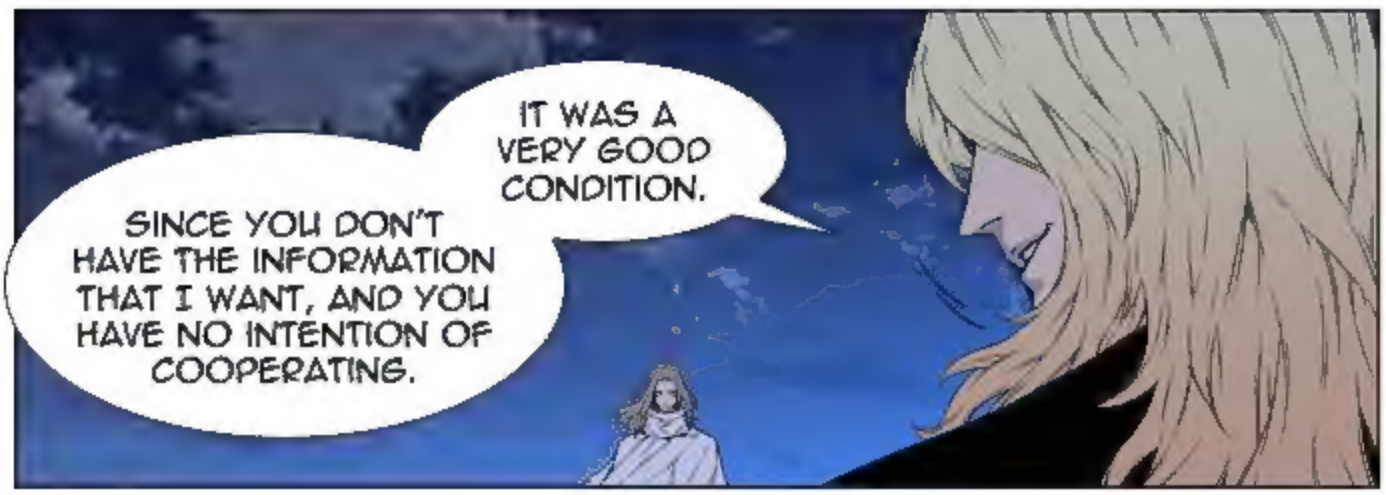
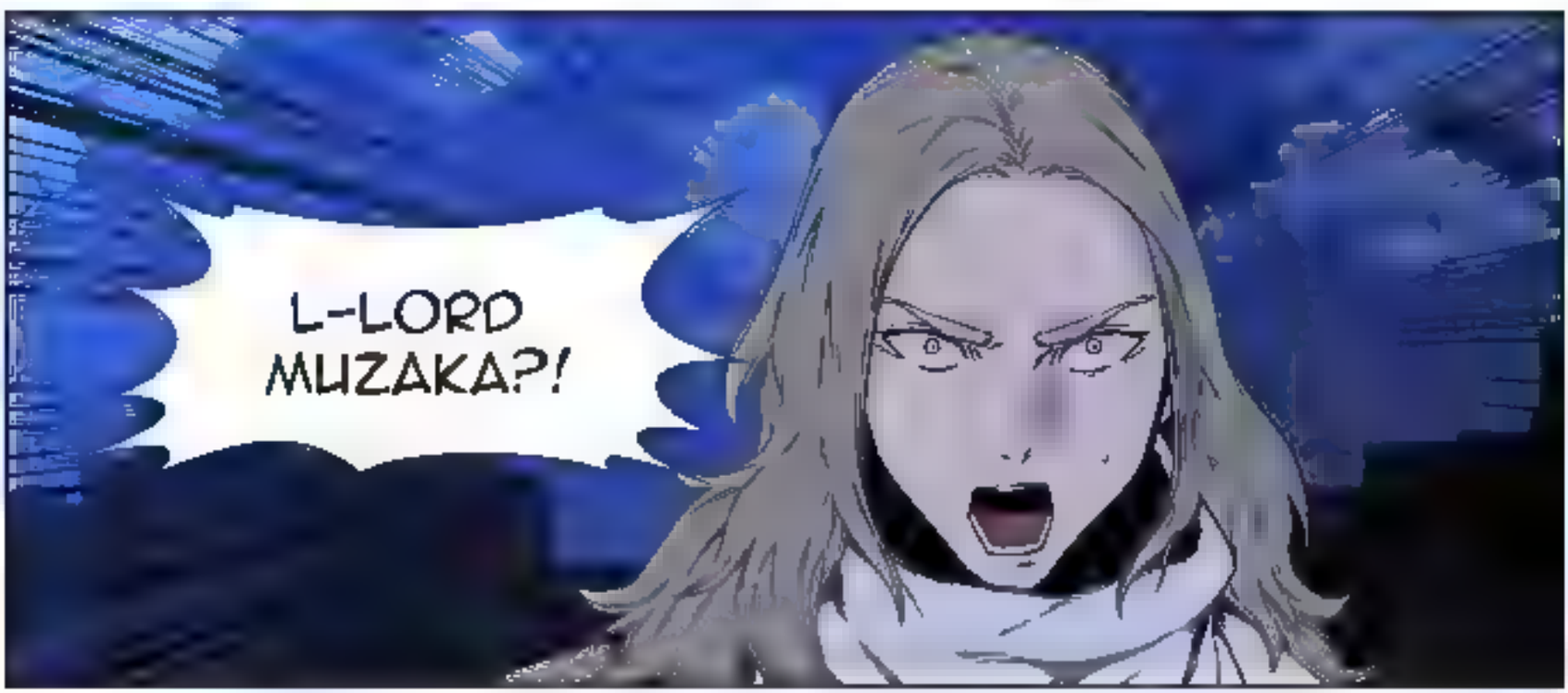
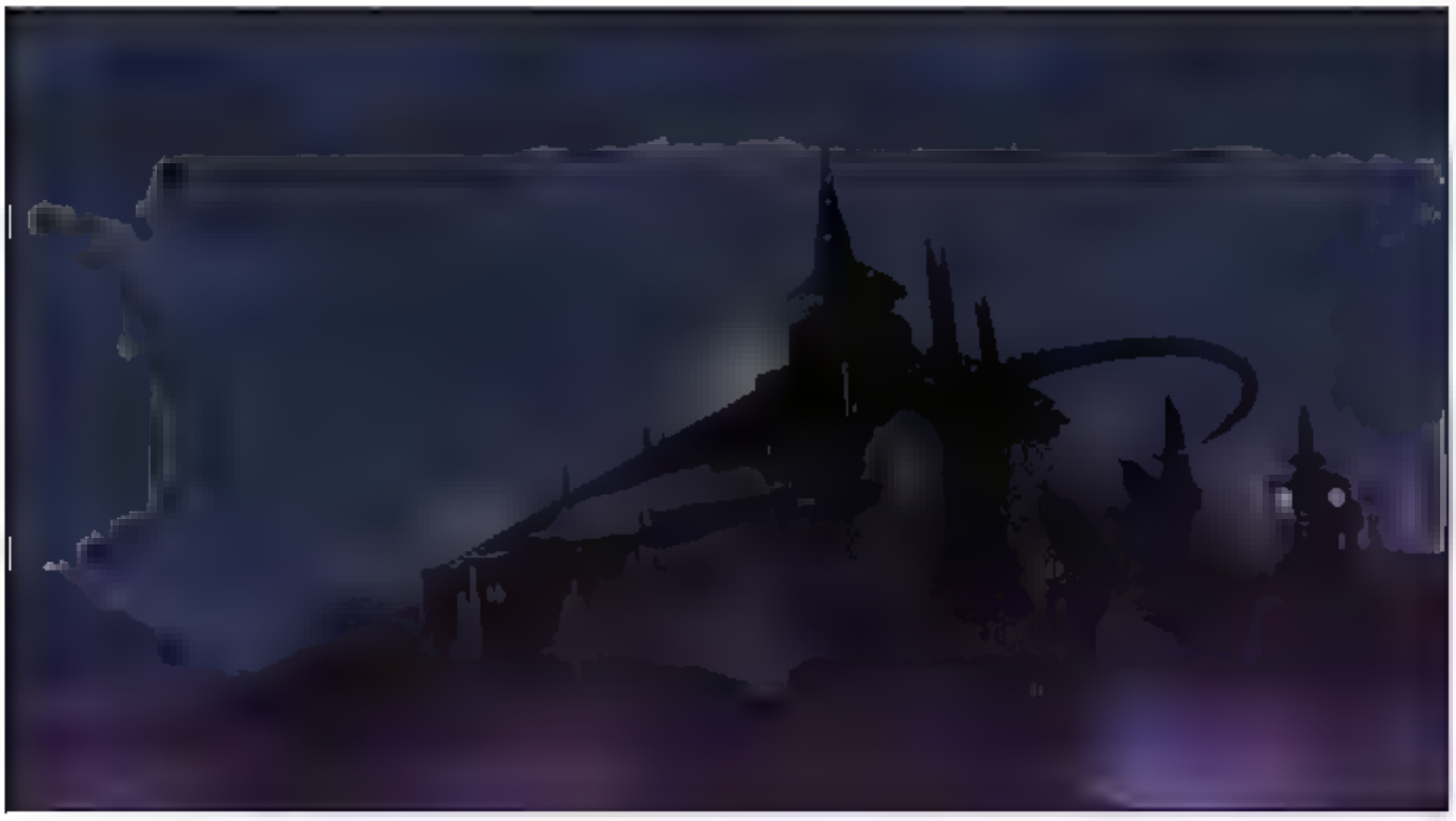
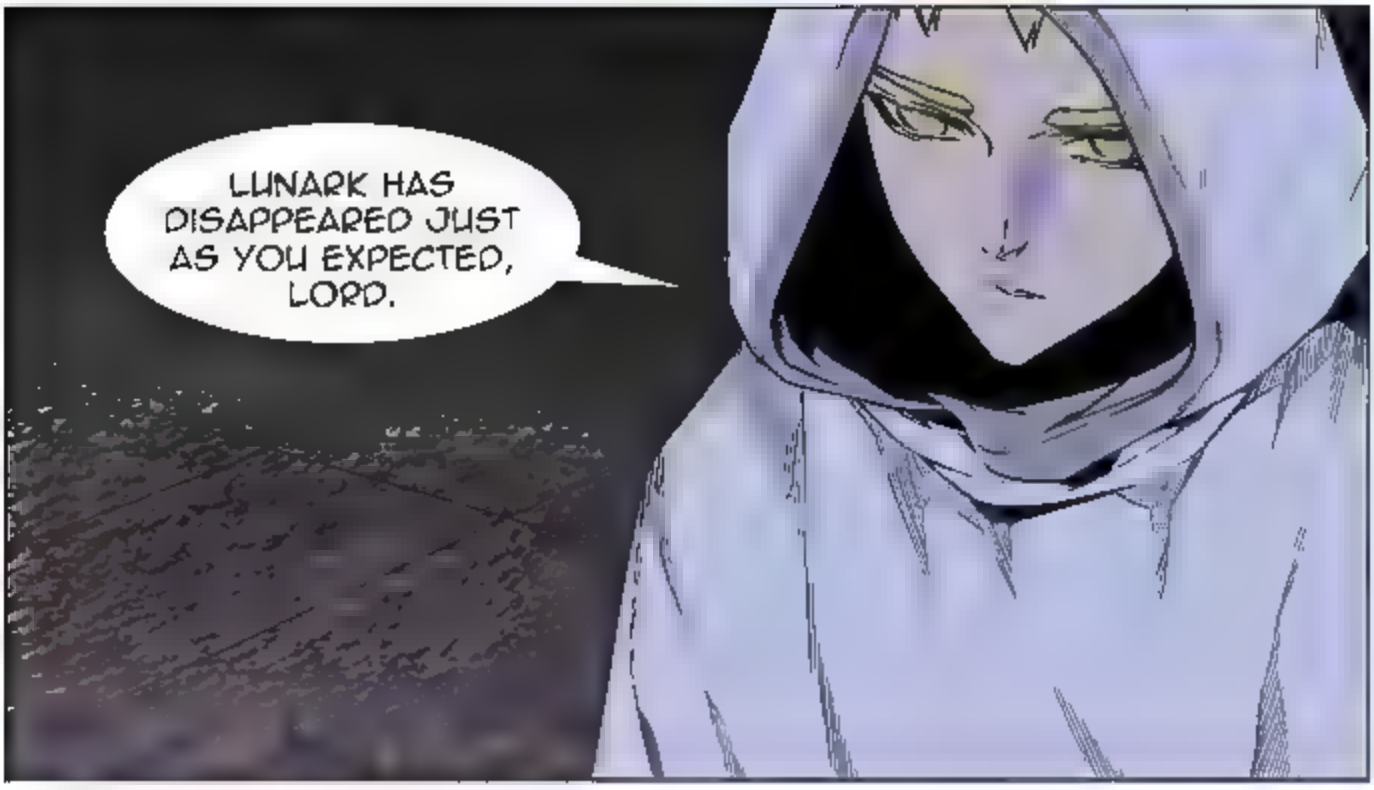

IT WAS A VERY GOOD CONDITION.
SINCE YOU DON'T HAVE THE INFORMATION THAT I WANT, AND YOU HAVE NO INTENTION OF COOPERATING.


L-LORD MUZAKA?!

HM... YOUR NAME IS LUNARK, RIGHT?
I DON'T KNOW WHY YOU WERE LOOKING FOR ME, BUT THIS GUY RIGHT HERE HAD JUST CALLED ME TO MEET HIM SO THE TIMING WORKED OUT WELL.




LUNARK HAS DISAPPEARED JUST AS YOU EXPECTED, LORD.

HMPH, LOOKS LIKE THAT LUNARK IS A TRAITOR, TOO.

SILLY FOOL...
WE EVEN WARNED HER NOT TO DO ANYTHING STUPID.

I WILL BRING LUNARK BACK HERE.
NO, I WILL GET HER THIS T ME AS WELL.

THERE'S NO NEED FOR THAT.
LUNARK WILL COME BACK ON HER OWN.

WHAT?
I THINK SHE'S RUN AWAY, THOUGH..

LUNARK WILL RETURN AND
SHE WILL BE BACK WITH MUZAKA.

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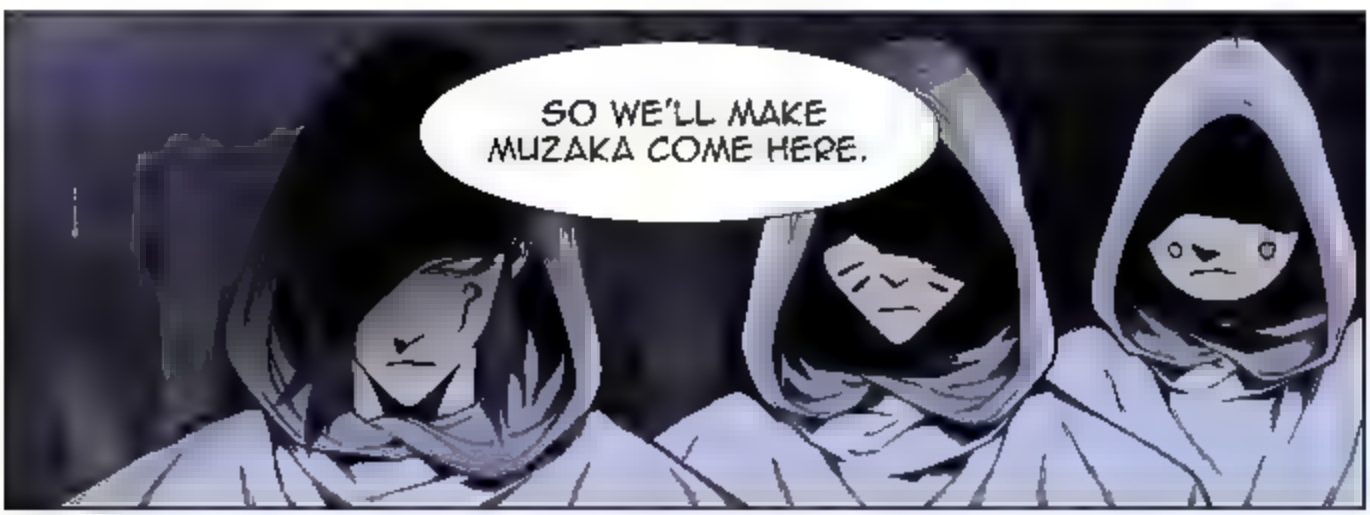
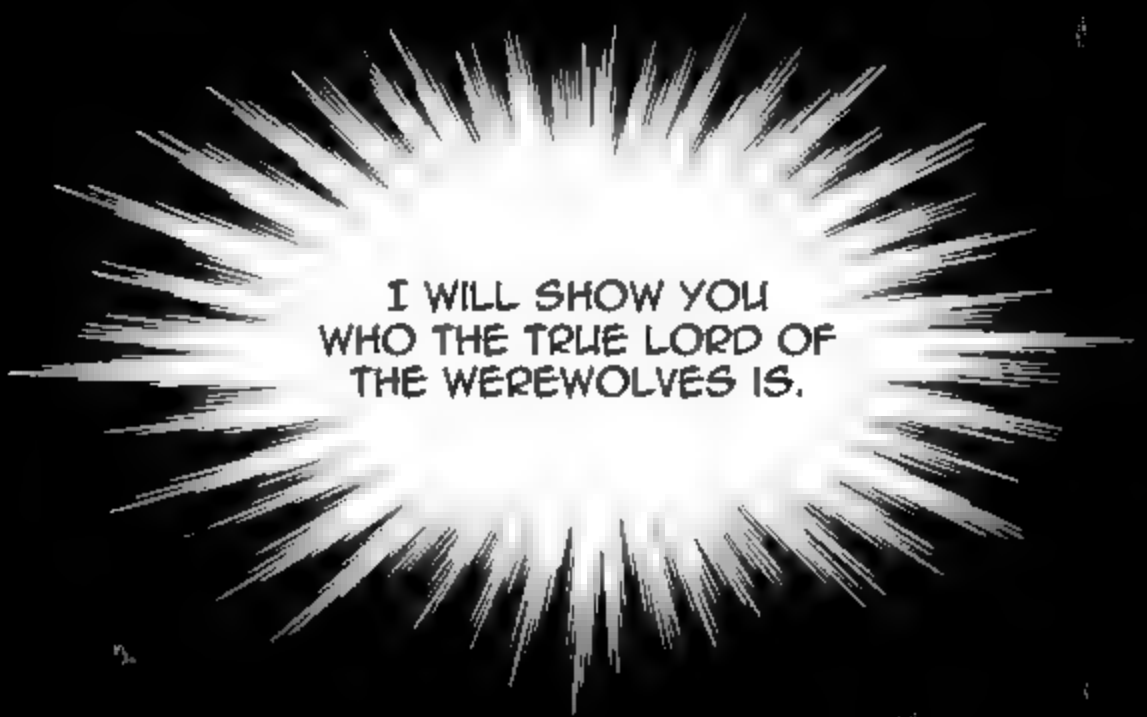
WE TRIED TO FIND MUZAKA BUT WE COULDN'T.


SO WE'LL MAKE MUZAKA COME HERE.

THEN WE WILL DEAL WITH MUZAKA AND THE TRAITORS WHO FOLLOWED HIM.

GET READY FOR WHEN HE GETS HERE, EVERYONE.
YES, LORD

MUZAKA, I WAS ANGRY WHEN I FOUND OUT THAT YOU'RE NOT DEAD, BUT NOT NOW.
UNLIKE YOU, WHO FELL ASLEEP AND LIVED AS A TEST SUBJECT, OUR PEOPLE AND I HAVE OBTAINED EVEN GREATER POWER.


I WILL SHOW YOU
WHO THE TRUE LORD OF
THE WEREWOLVES IS.

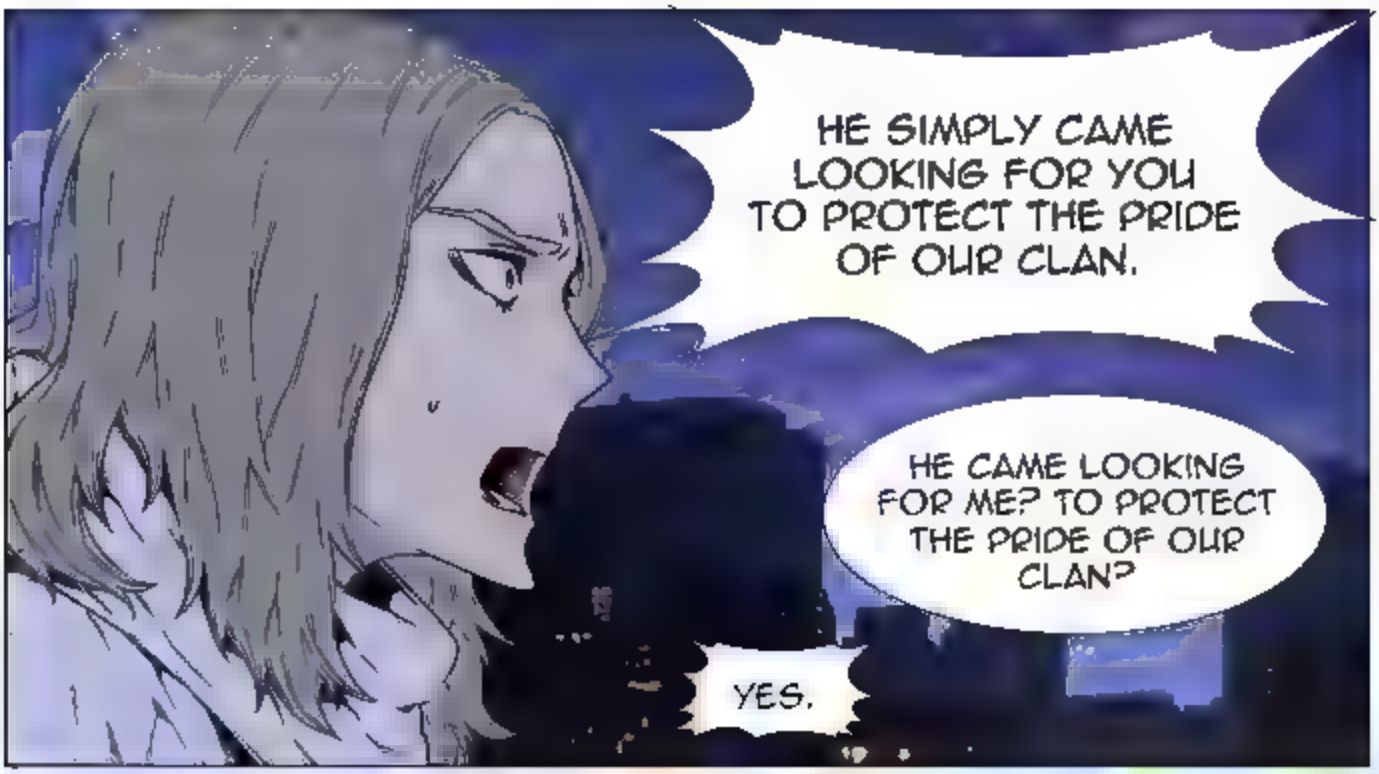
WHY AREN'T YOU TELLING ME WHY YOU WERE LOOKING FOR ME?
AH

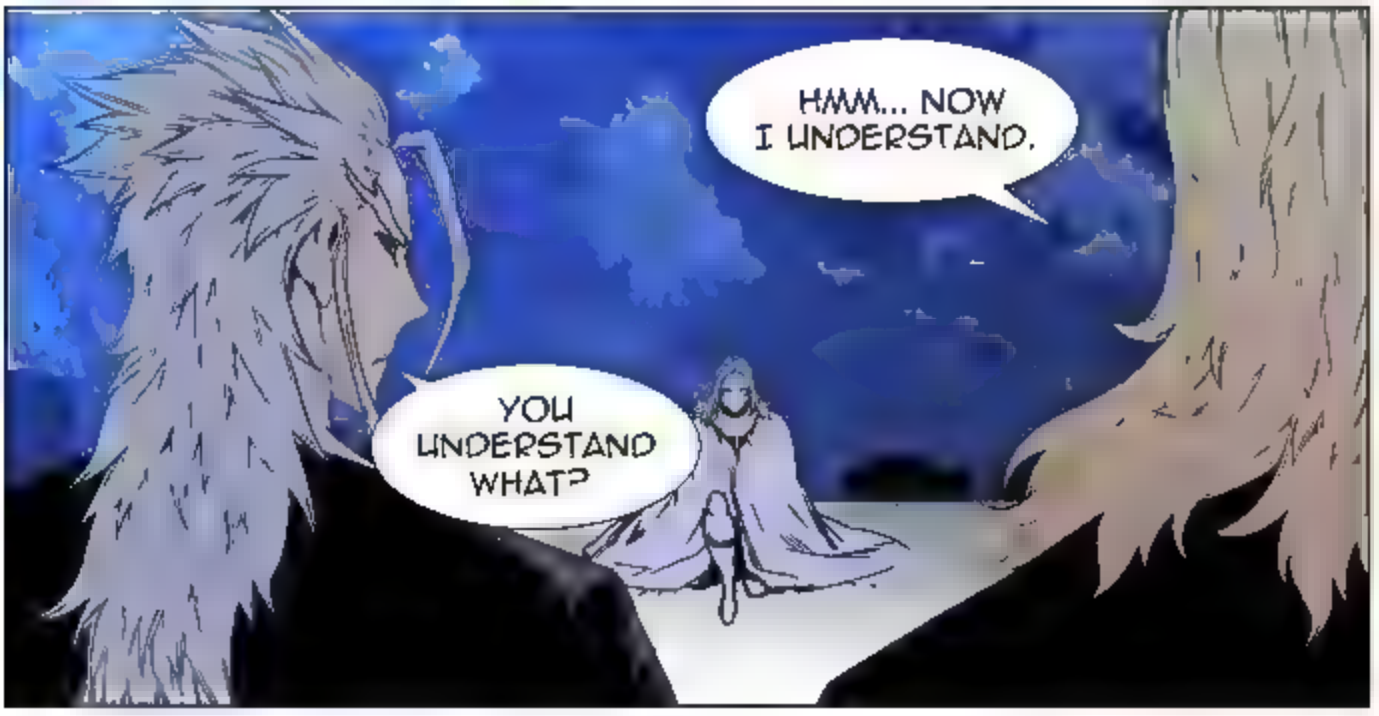
SSK
LORD MUZAKA, PLEASE HELP US!
HELP YOU? WITH WHAT?
KENTAS HAS BEEN ACCUSED OF BEING A TRAITOR AND IS IN TROUBLE.

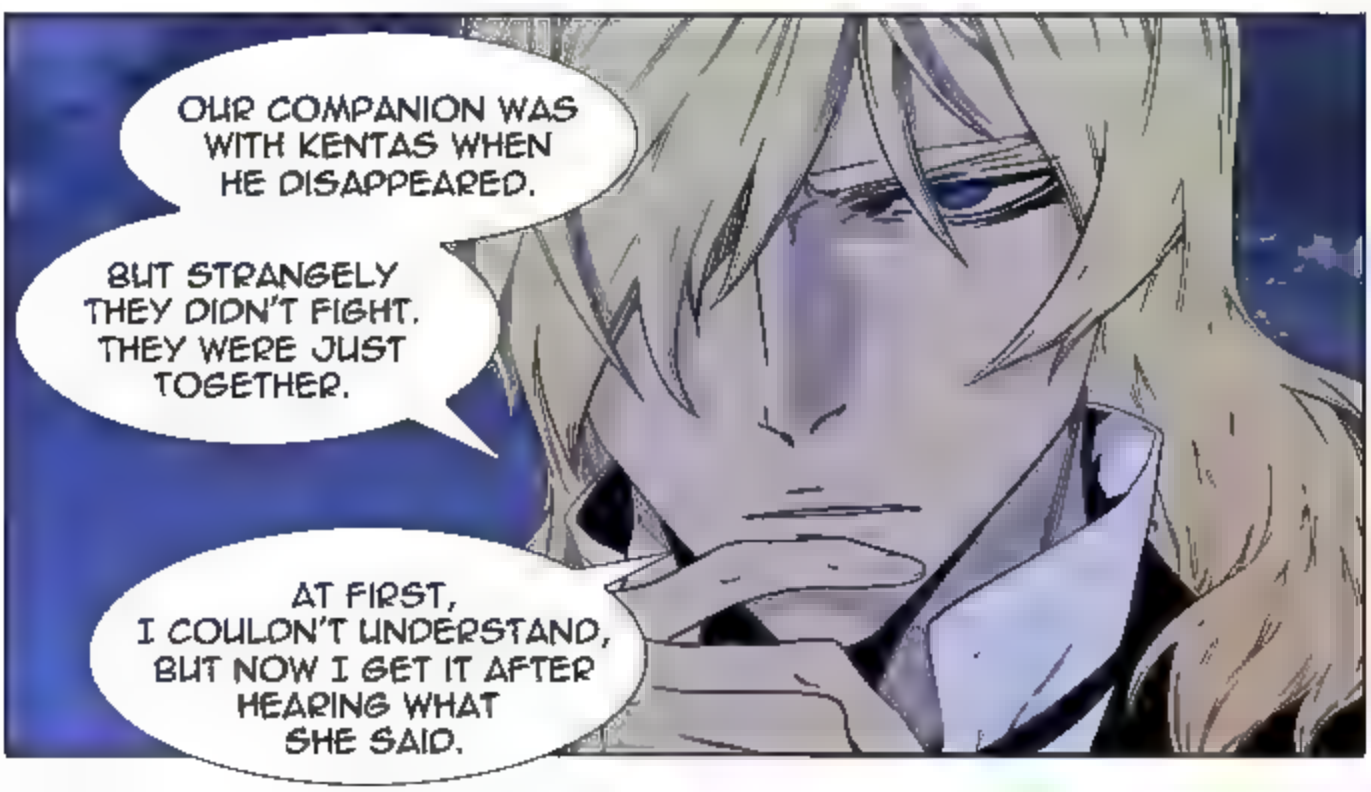
BY KENTAS... DO YOU MEAN THE GUY WHO WAS WITH YOU BEFORE?
THAT'S RIGHT.

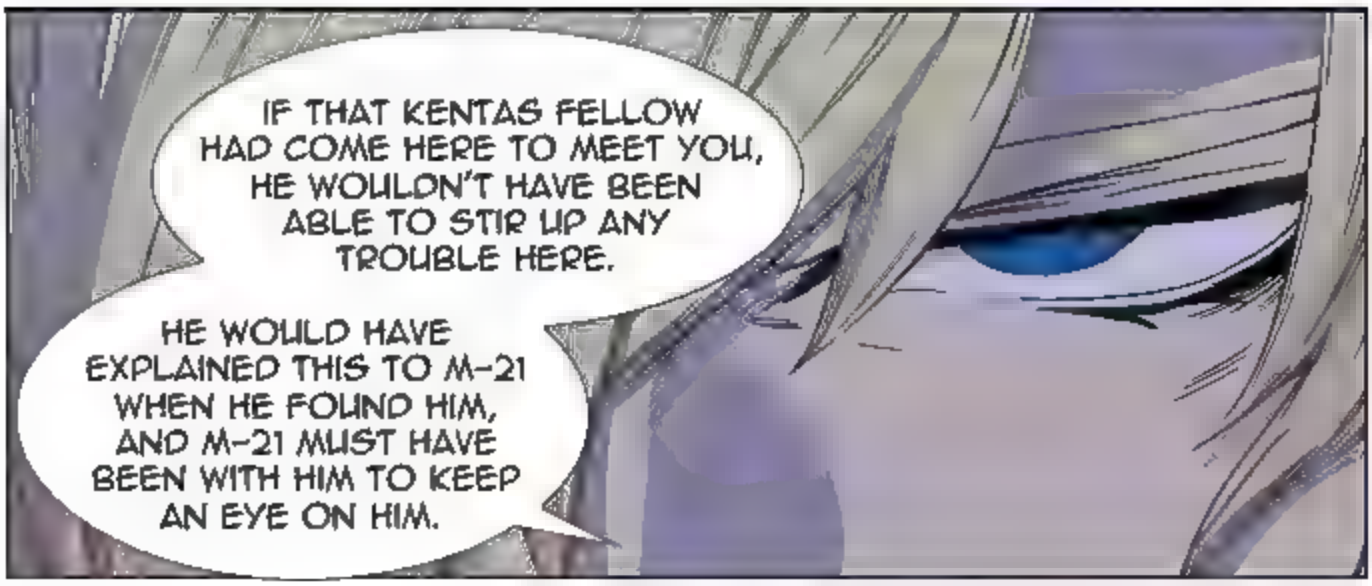
THEN I CAN'T HELP YOU.

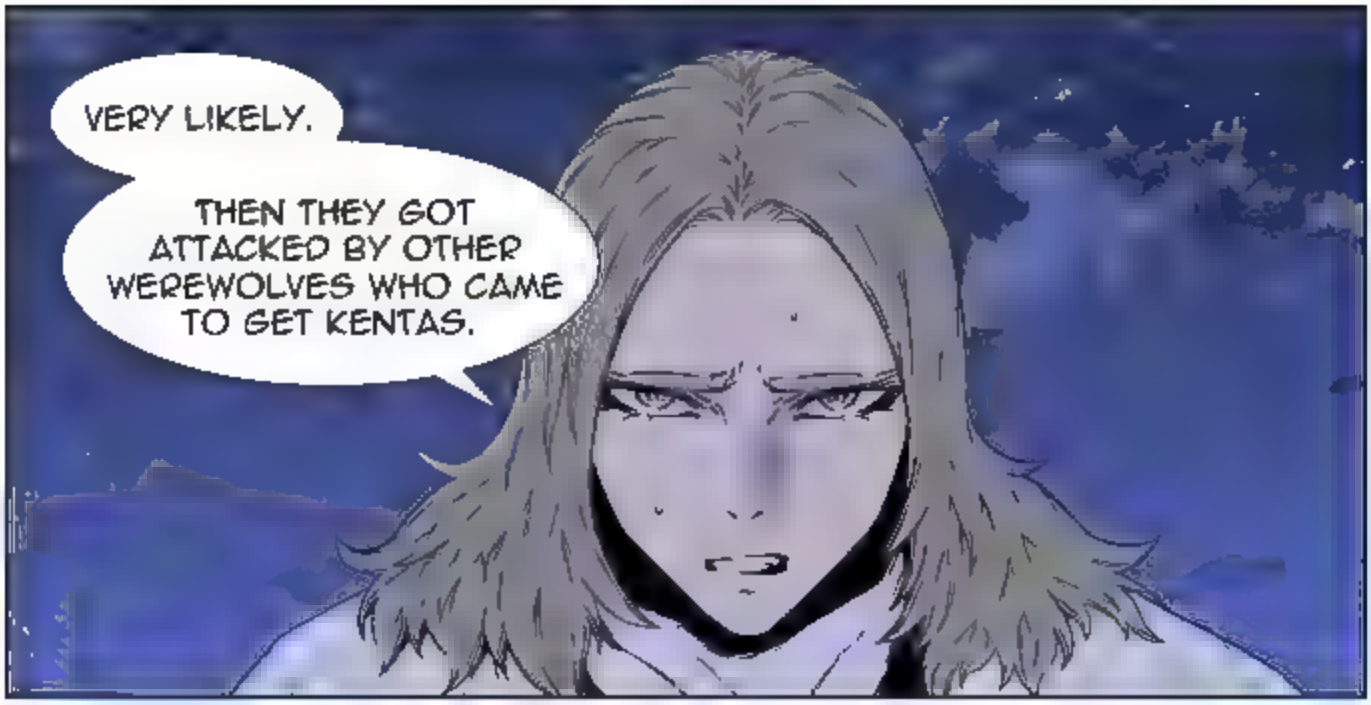
IT'S TOO BAD ABOUT WHAT HAPPENED TO HIM, BUT THERE MUST HAVE BEEN A REASON FOR HIM BEING ACCUSED OF BEING A TRAITOR.
NO! KENTAS DID NOT BETRAY OUR PEOPLE.


HE SIMPLY CAME LOOKING FOR YOU TO PROTECT THE PRIDE OF OUR CLAN.
HE CAME LOOKING FOR ME? TO PROTECT THE PRIDE OF OUR CLAN?
YES.


HMM... NOW I UNDERSTAND.
YOU UNDERSTAND WHAT?

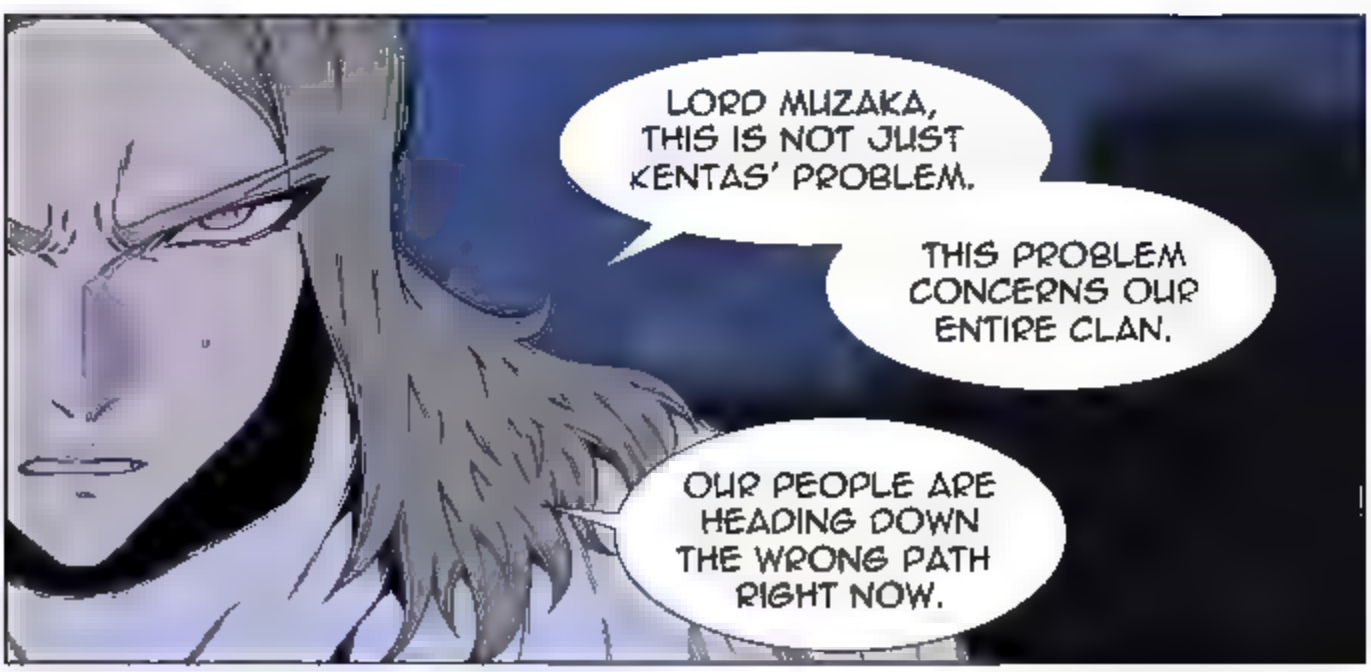

OUR COMPANION WAS WITH KENTAS WHEN HE DISAPPEARED.
BUT STRANGELY THEY DIDN'T FIGHT. THEY WERE JUST TOGETHER.
AT FIRST, I COULDN'T UNDERSTAND, BUT NOW I GET IT AFTER HEARING WHAT SHE SAID.


IF THAT KENTAS FELLOW HAD COME HERE TO MEET YOU, HE WOULDN'T HAVE BEEN ABLE TO STIR UP ANY TROUBLE HERE.
HE WOULD HAVE EXPLAINED THIS TO M-21 WHEN HE FOUND HIM, AND M-21 MUST HAVE BEEN WITH HIM TO KEEP AN EYE ON HIM.


VERY LIKELY.
THEN THEY GOT ATTACKED BY OTHER WEREWOLVES WHO CAME TO GET KENTAS.

DAMN, SO WE'RE CAUGHT UP IN THIS COMPLETELY UNRELATED MESS BECAUSE OF YOUR CLAN.

I THINK I SEE WHAT YOU'RE SAYING.
I DON'T KNOW WHAT HAPPENED BEFORE THIS, BUT THE FACT THAT HE CAME LOOKING FOR ME SEEMS TO HAVE BEEN DECISIVE.


LORD MUZAKA, THIS IS NOT JUST KENTAS' PROBLEM.
THIS PROBLEM CONCERNS OUR ENTIRE CLAN.
OUR PEOPLE ARE HEADING DOWN THE WRONG PATH RIGHT NOW.

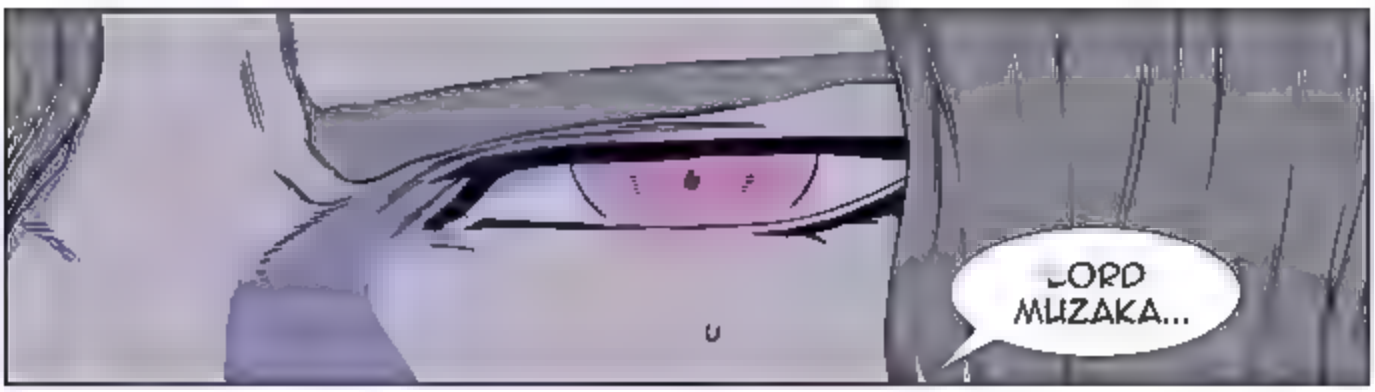
THEY'RE HEADING DOWN THE WRONG PATH?

THAT'S UP TO YOUR LORD TO JUDGE AND DECIDE, NOT YOU AND THAT KENTAS GUY.

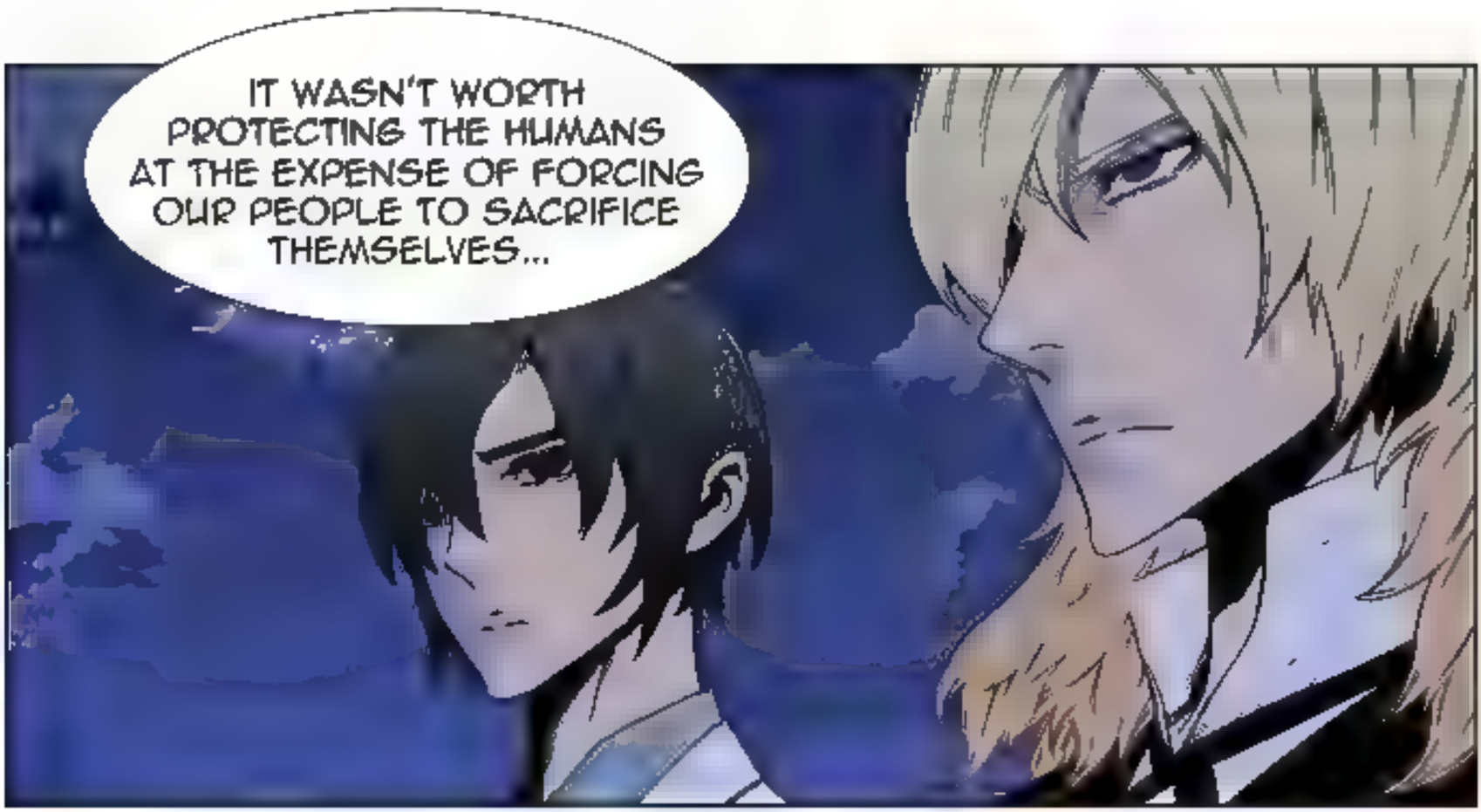
IT SEEMS TO ME LIKE THERE WOULD BE A REASON FOR IT, EVEN IF IT SEEMS WRONG.

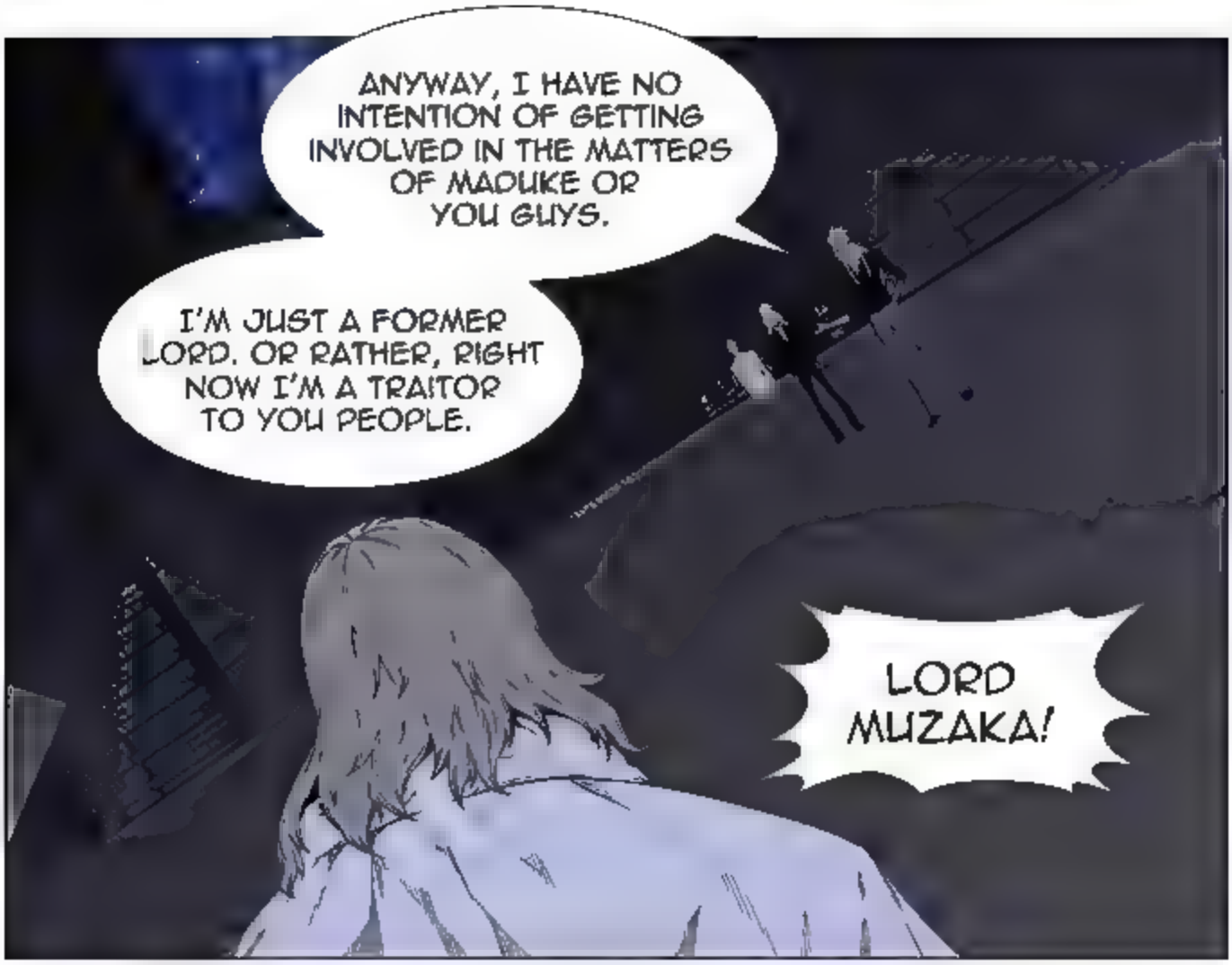
AND YOU'RE ASKING ME FOR HELP, BUT I WASN'T A GOOD LORD EITHER.

MOST OF OUR PEOPLE WERE DISPLEASED WITH MY DECISIONS AND JUDGMENT.


LORD MUZAKA...

I SACRIFICED FAR TOO MANY LIVES SIMPLY BECAUSE OUR CLAN IS POWERFUL.
I WAS TOO OPPRESSIVE.
ESPECIALLY WHEN IT COMES TO HUMANS.


IT WASN'T WORTH PROTECTING THE HUMANS AT THE EXPENSE OF FORCING OUR PEOPLE TO SACRIFICE THEMSELVES...


ANYWAY, I HAVE NO INTENTION OF GETTING INVOLVED IN THE MATTERS OF MADUKE OR YOU GUYS.
I'M JUST A FORMER LORD. OR RATHER, RIGHT NOW I'M A TRAITOR TO YOU PEOPLE.
LORD MUZAKA!

GO BACK QUICKLY. YOU DON'T WANT TO BE BRANDED AS A TRAITOR FOR COMING TO SEE ME.
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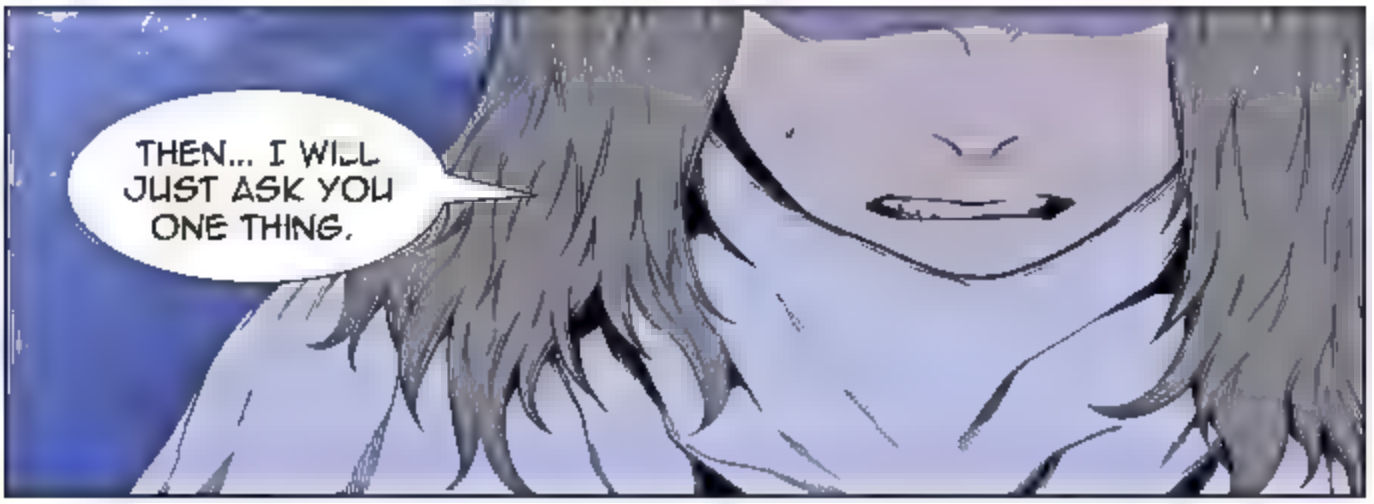
THEN... I WILL JUST ASK YOU ONE THING.

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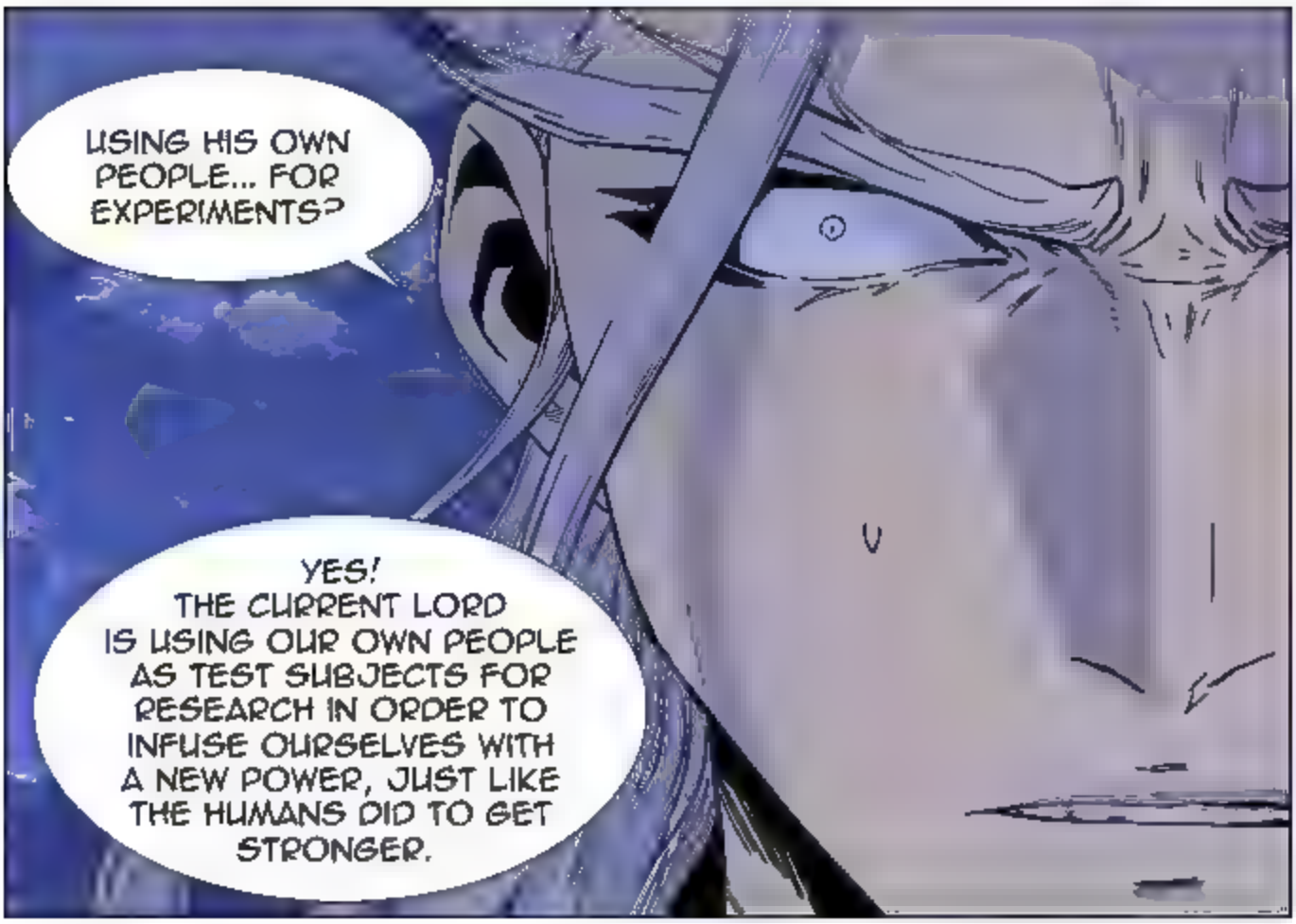
YOU SAID THAT IT'S NOT UP TO ME TO DECIDE WHETHER MY CLAN IS HEADING DOWN THE WRONG PATH.
AND YOU SAID THAT THE CURRENT LORD WOULD HAVE REASONS FOR HIS DECISIONS, EVEN IF I DON'T LIKE THEM.
THEN ARE YOU SAYING...
THAT I'M SUPPOSED TO JUST LET HIM USE OUR OWN PEOPLE AS TEST SUBJECTS IN ORDER TO GET STRONGER?

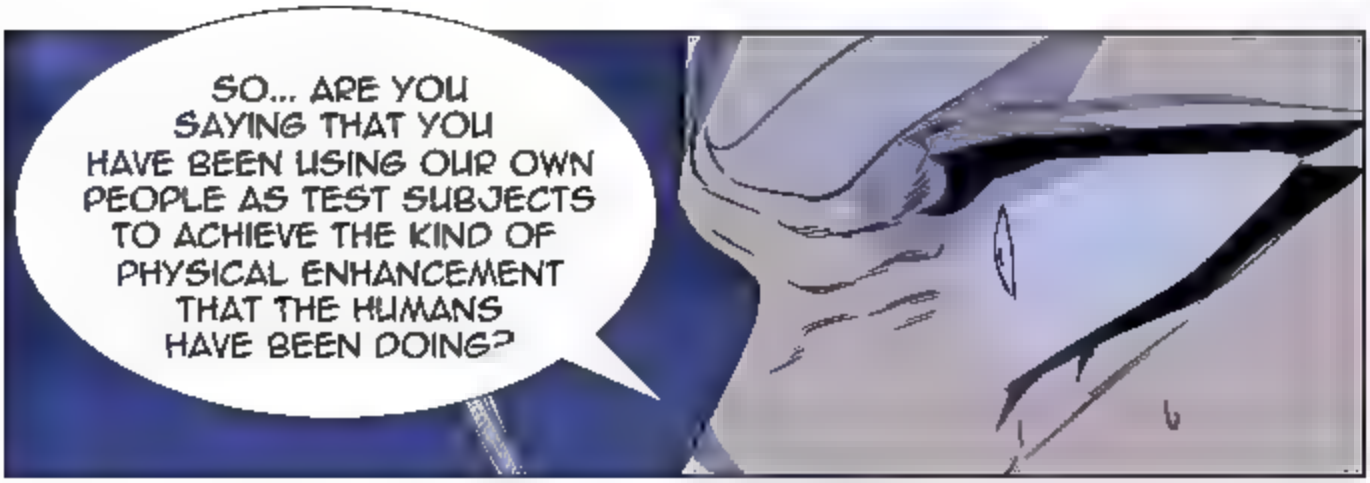
WHISH

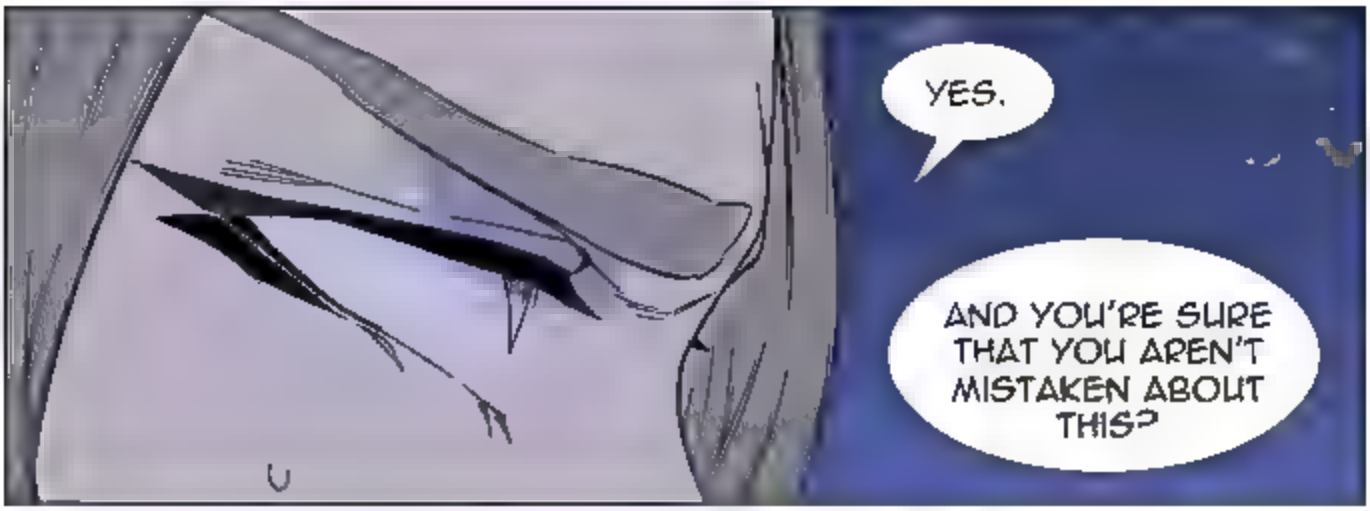
WHAT DID YOU JUST SAY..?


USING HIS OWN PEOPLE... FOR EXPERIMENTS?
YES! THE CURRENT LORD IS USING OUR OWN PEOPLE AS TEST SUBJECTS FOR RESEARCH IN ORDER TO INFUSE OURSELVES WITH A NEW POWER, JUST LIKE THE HUMANS DID TO GET STRONGER.

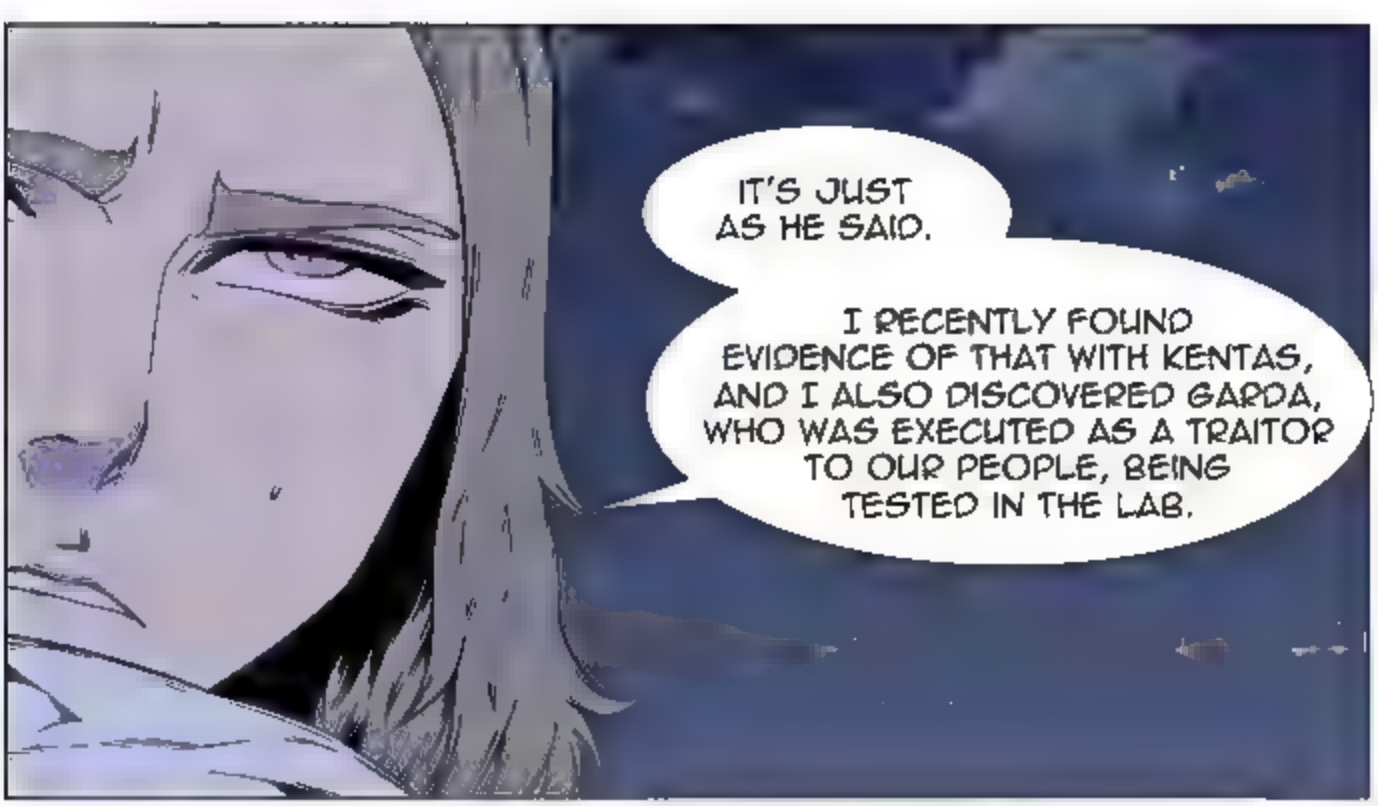
THE VICTIMS ARE THOSE WHO HAVE EXPRESSED DISSATISFACTION WITH THE LORD OR WEAK MEMBERS AMONG US.

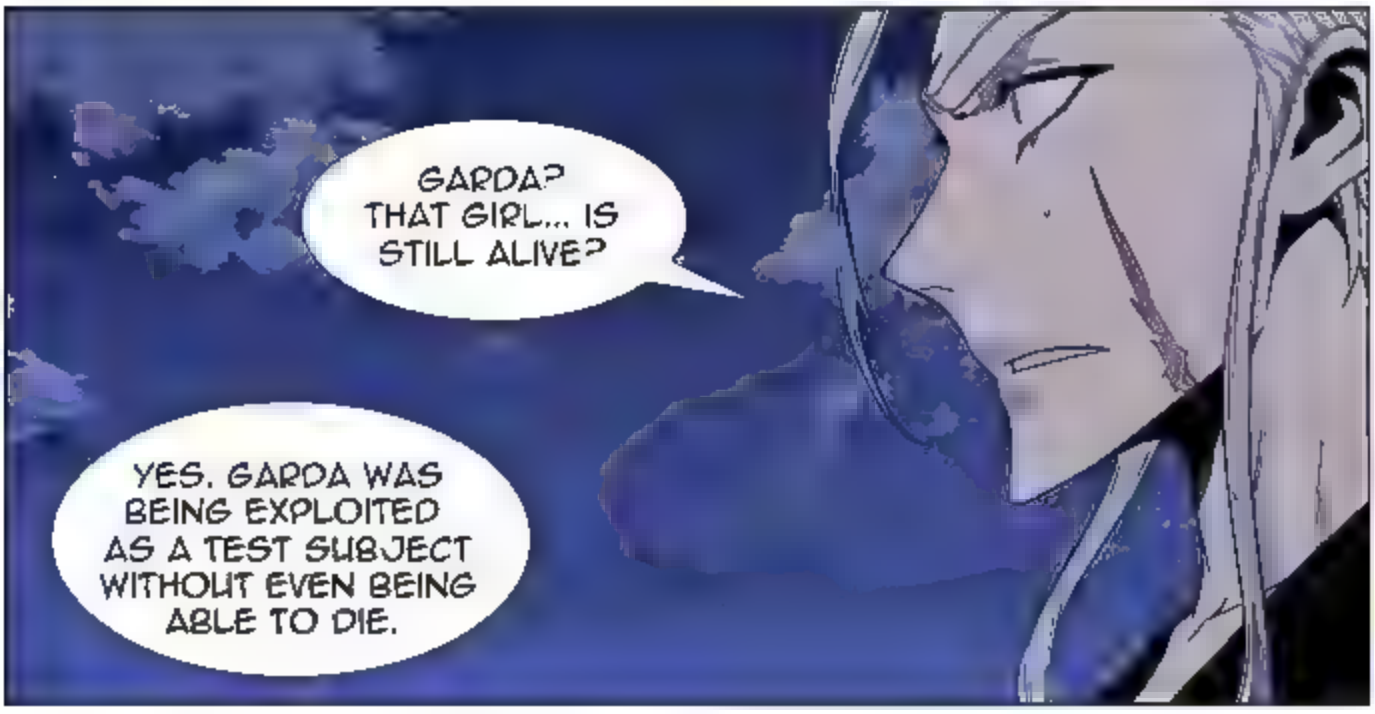
ALL OF OUR WARRIORS HAVE CURRENTLY UNDERGONE PHYSICAL ENHANCEMENT. THE ONLY ONES WHO HAD NOT WERE KENTAS AND I.
THIS IS BECAUSE WE THOUGHT THAT WE COULD ACHIEVE MORE WITH OUR OWN POWER THAN ACCEPTING ANY OTHER KIND OF POWER, AND THAT UNDERGOING PHYSICAL ENHANCEMENT TO BOOST OUR POWER WOULD BE A DISGRACE TO OUR CLAN.
BUT THE PRESSURE FROM THEM GREW STRONGER, AND IT'S GOTTEN EVEN WORSE SINCE I MET YOU RECENTLY.
THEN ONE DAY, I FOUND OUT THAT THEY HAVE BEEN USING OUR OWN PEOPLE FOR EXPERIMENTS.

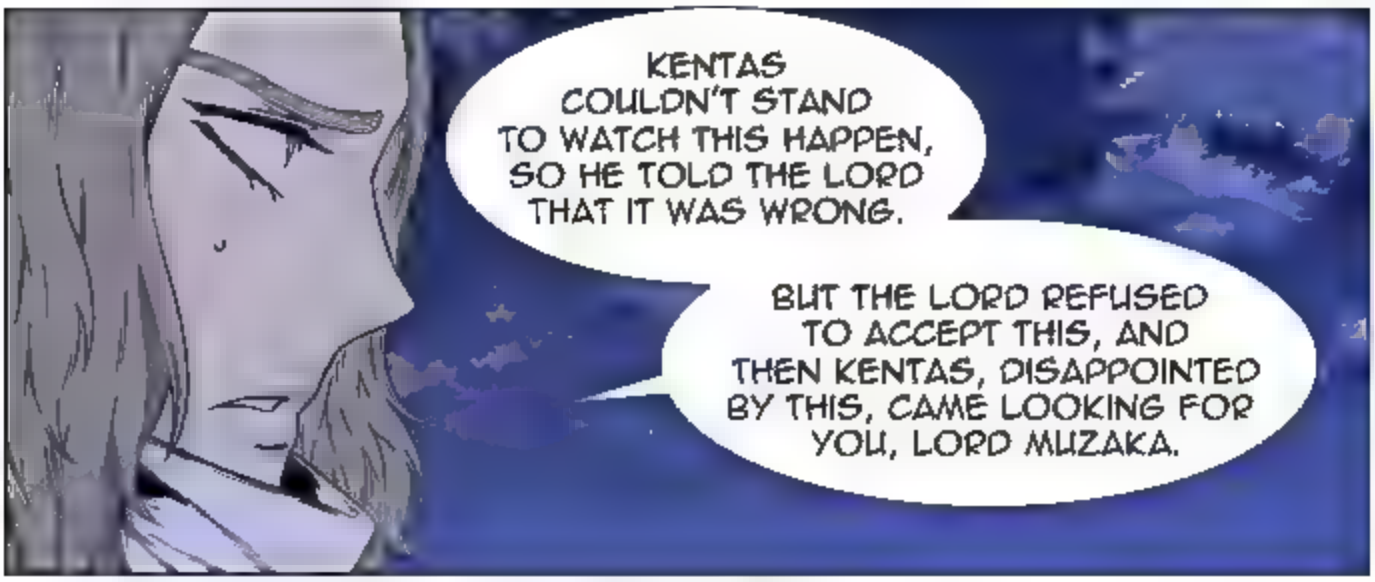

SO... ARE YOU SAYING THAT YOU HAVE BEEN USING OUR OWN PEOPLE AS TEST SUBJECTS TO ACHIEVE THE KIND OF PHYSICAL ENHANCEMENT THAT THE HUMANS HAVE BEEN DOING?


YES.
AND YOU'RE SURE THAT YOU AREN'T MISTAKEN ABOUT THIS?

THERE'S CREDIBILITY TO WHAT SHE'S SAYING.
IF MOST OF THE WEREWOLVES UNDERWENT PHYSICAL ENHANCEMENT TO GAIN POWER, IT WOULD HAVE BEEN IMPOSSIBLE TO GET THOSE KINDS OF RESULTS USING THE HUMANS' DATA ALONE.
SOMETHING LIKE THAT WOULD REQUIRE A GREAT DEAL OF DATA ABOUT WEREWOLVES.
THEY PROBABLY SPENT AGES GATHERING THE DATA.


IT'S JUST AS HE SAID.
I RECENTLY FOUND EVIDENCE OF THAT WITH KENTAS, AND I ALSO DISCOVERED GARDA, WHO WAS EXECUTED AS A TRAITOR TO OUR PEOPLE, BEING TESTED IN THE LAB.

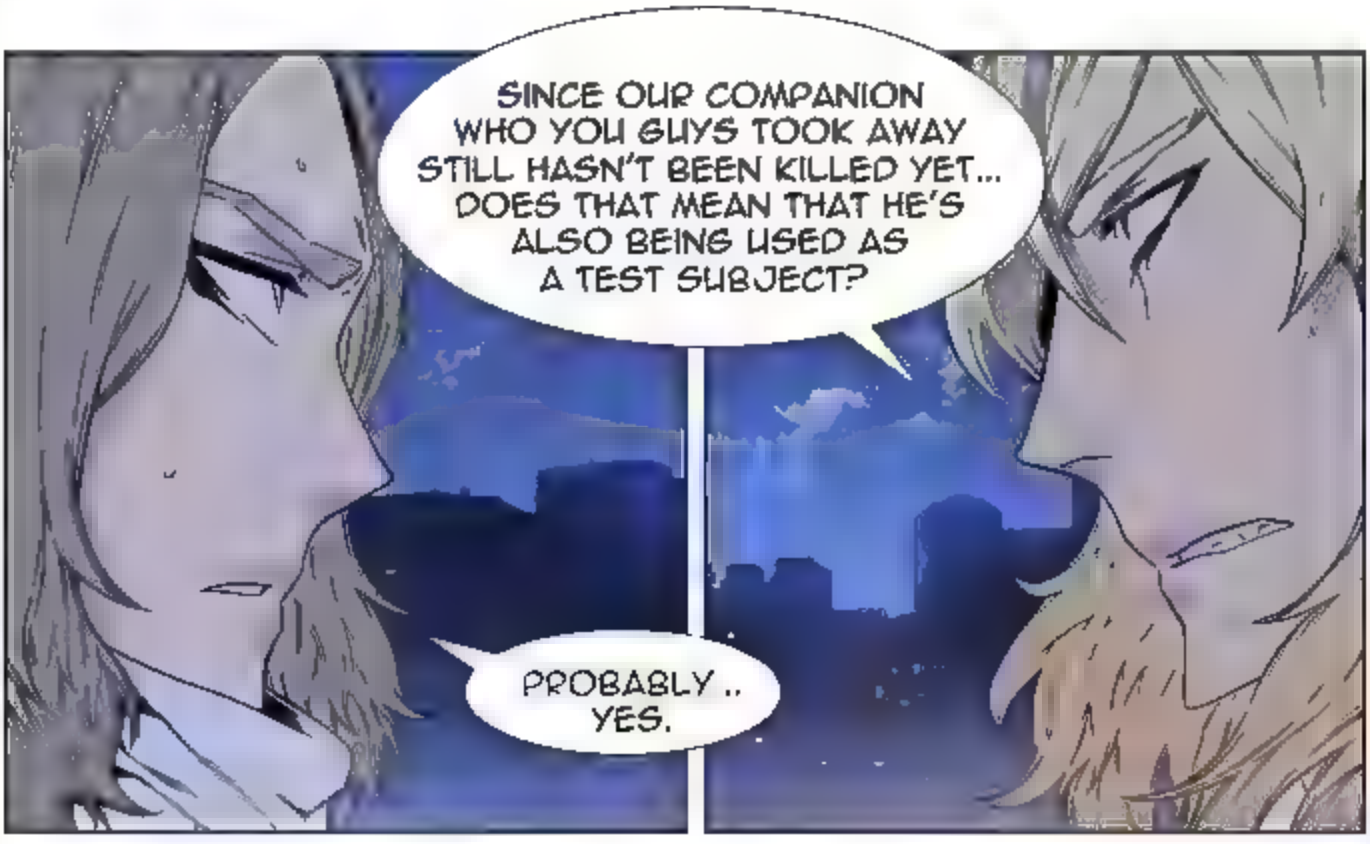

GARDA? THAT GIRL... IS STILL ALIVE?
YES. GARDA WAS BEING EXPLOITED AS A TEST SUBJECT WITHOUT EVEN BEING ABLE TO DIE.


KENTAS COULDN'T STAND TO WATCH THIS HAPPEN, SO HE TOLD THE LORD THAT IT WAS WRONG.
BUT THE LORD REFUSED TO ACCEPT THIS, AND THEN KENTAS, DISAPPOINTED BY THIS, CAME LOOKING FOR YOU, LORD MUZAKA.

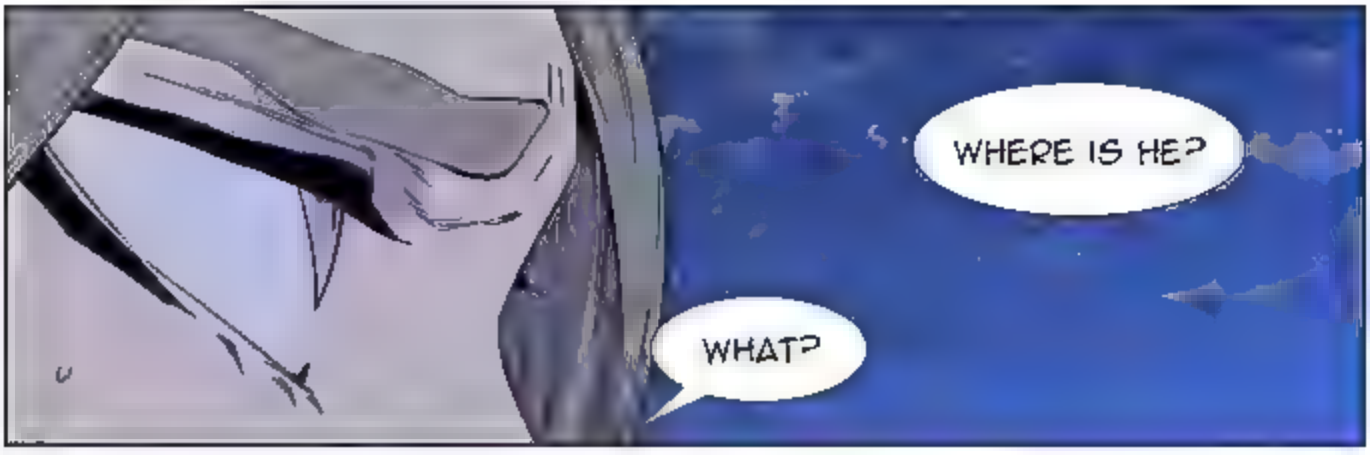
THEY'RE USING THEIR OWN PEOPLE... FOR TESTS?
AND DOING THAT TO GARDA, AT THAT...?
HAVE YOU TOLD THE OTHER WARRIORS ABOUT THIS TOO?
THEY ALREADY KNEW ABOUT IT.
THE ONLY WARRIORS WHO DIDN'T KNOW ABOUT IT WERE KENTAS AND I, THE ONES WHO DIDN'T ACCEPT THAT POWER.

ARE YOU SAYING THAT EVERYONE WHO ARE LEADING OUR PEOPLE TOOK THE LEAD OF THIS?
HOW DARE THEY..
I CAN'T BELIEVE WHAT A MESS OUR PEOPLE HAVE BECOME...

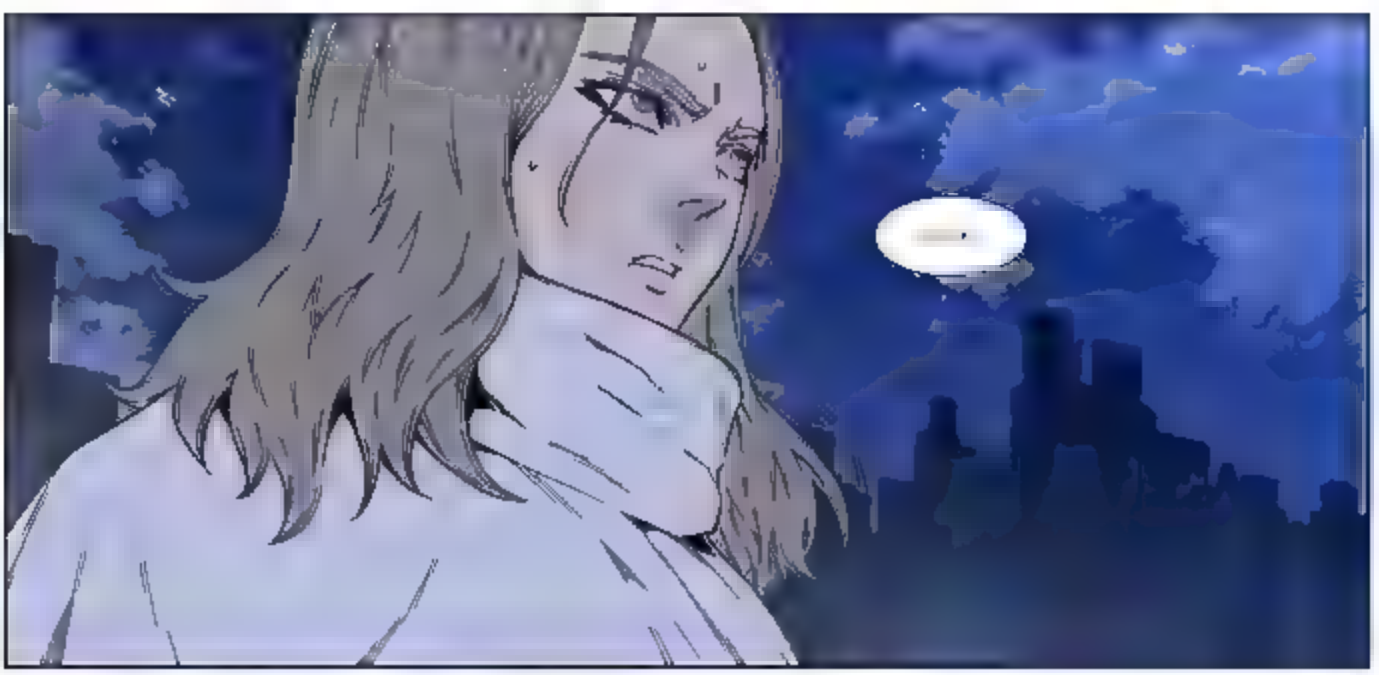
SSK
LOOK. SORRY TO INTERRUPT, BUT LET ME ASK YOU SOMETHING TOO.

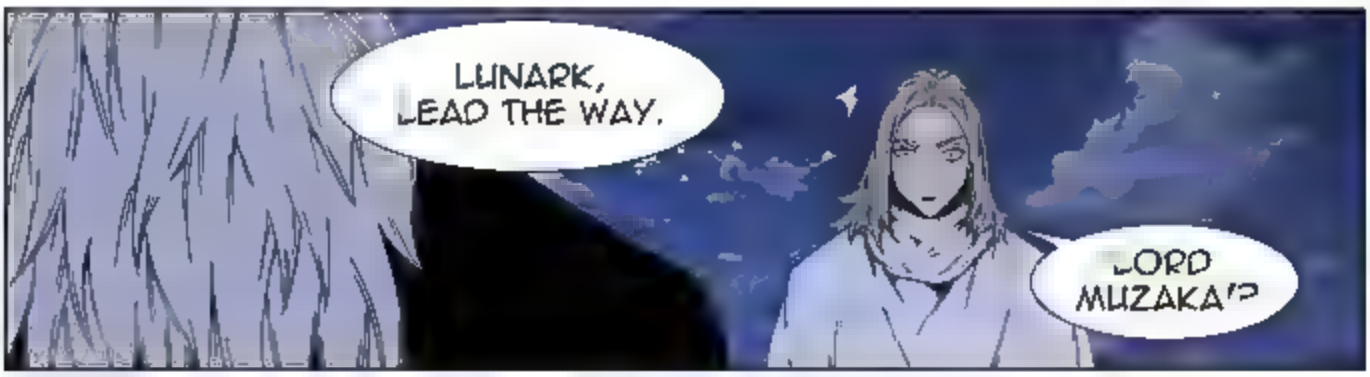

SINCE OUR COMPANION WHO YOU GUYS TOOK AWAY STILL HASN'T BEEN KILLED YET... DOES THAT MEAN THAT HE'S ALSO BEING USED AS A TEST SUBJECT?
PROBABLY .. YES.

CLENCH
HE'S BEING USED.. AS SOME KIND OF DISPOSABLE ITEM AGAIN?

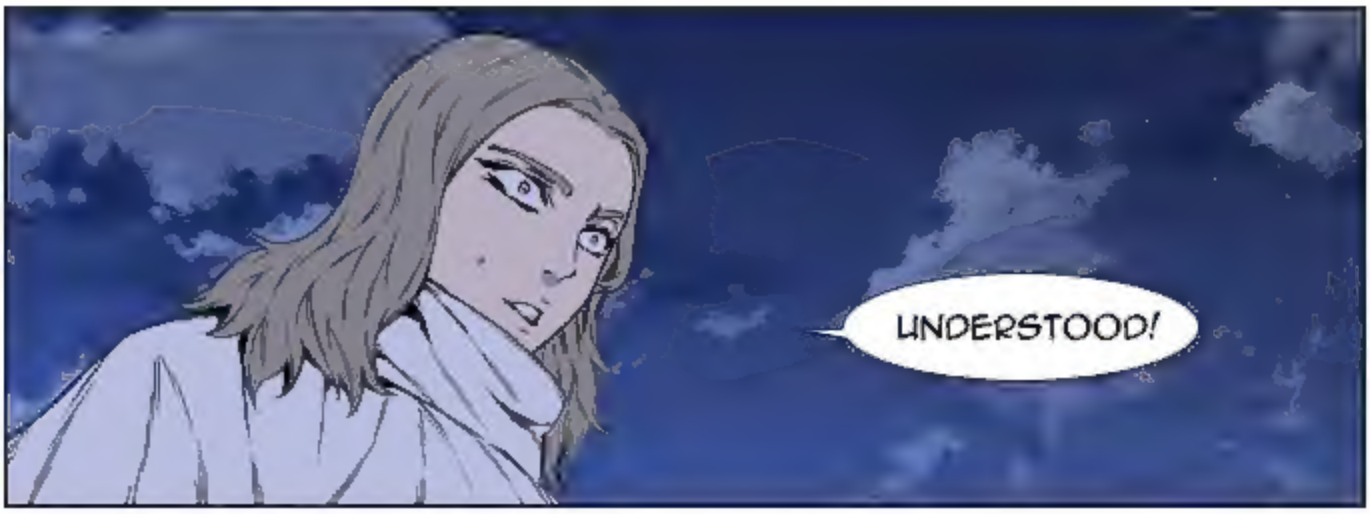

WHERE IS HE?
WHAT?

TELL ME WHERE MY COMPANION IS.
I DID AS YOU ASKED, SO NOW IT'S YOUR TURN TO DO AS I SAY.

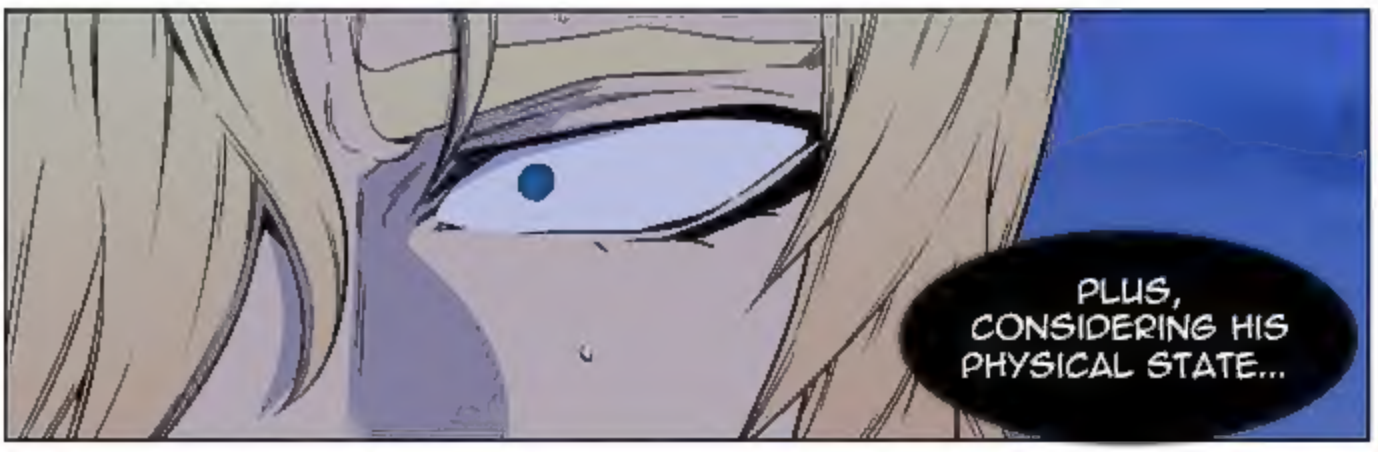



LUNARK, LEAD THE WAY.
LORD MUZAKA!?

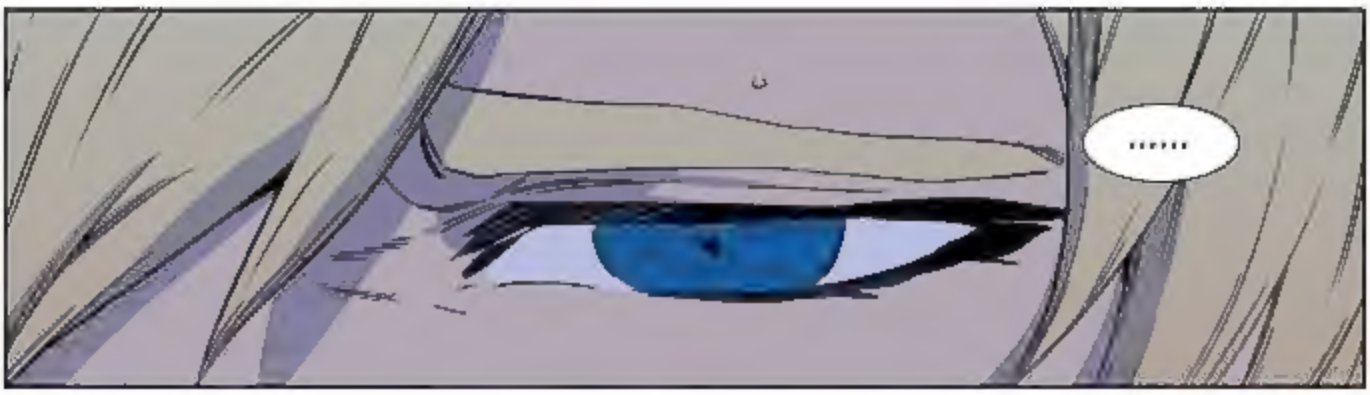
WE CAN'T JUST LET THESE BASTARDS...
GET AWAY WITH THIS.


UNDERSTOOD!

I'LL GO WITH YOU.
MASTER. IF YOU GO WITHOUT ANY KIND OF PREPARATION LIKE THIS...


PLUS, CONSIDERING HIS PHYSICAL STATE...

M-21 DOESN'T HAVE MUCH TIME LEFT.
BUT...
FRANKENSTEIN, I KNOW WHAT YOU'RE WORRIED ABOUT.
BUT M-21 IS IN A VERY DIFFERENT PLACE FROM BEFORE.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I WILL GO WITH YOU TOO, MASTER.

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